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1 Teresa Joan O'Neill (CONS/P)

Case No. 0582455

Attorney: Steven L. Shahbazian (for Conservator Mary O'Neill)

Petition for Order Confirming Transfer of Conservatorship Proceedings and Terminating Conservatorship

			MARY O'NEILL, Conservator, is petitioner.	NEEDS/PROBLEMS/COMMENTS:
			Petitioner states on 7/19/16 the Court granted Petitioner's request to fix the Conservatee's residence outside of the	
Со	nt. from		state of California. Further ordering that a	
	Aff.Sub.Wit.		new conservatorship or its equivalent be	
✓	Verified		commenced in Oregon within four months of the entry of the order.	
	Inventory			
	PTC		Pursuant to said order, a petition was filed	
	Not.Cred.		by the conservator in the Circuit Court of	
✓	Notice of Hrg		Oregon, County of Deschutes, for transfer to the conservatorship and establishment	
√	Aff.Mail	W/	of a (statutory) guardianship for Teresa Joan O'Neill in Oregon. Order Provisionally	
	Aff.Pub.		Accepting Conservatorship from California	
	Sp.Ntc.		is attached.	
	Pers.Serv.		Under the terms of the attached order, the	
	Conf.		Oregon Circuit Court, in the County of	
	Screen		Deschutes, shall issue its final order	
	Letters		accepting the transfer of the	
	Duties/Supp		conservatorship to the State of Oregon	
	Objections		and for appointment of Petitioner as "Guardian" for Teresa Joan O'Neill upon	
	Video		receipt of this court's order "transferring its	
	Receipt		proceedings to Oregon and terminating	
	CI Report		the conservatorship of Teresa Joan O'Neill	
	9202		in California."	
✓	Order		Wherefore Politioner press for a final Order	
	Aff. Posting		Wherefore, Petitioner prays for a final Order confirming transfer of this proceeding to	Reviewed by: KT
	Status Rpt		the Oregon Circuit Court of the County of	Reviewed on: 11/8/16
	UCCJEA		Deschutes and terminating the limited	Updates:
	Citation		conservatorship of the person of the	Recommendation:
	FTB Notice		conservatee.	File 1- O'Neil

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2 Gerald Francis Poff (CONS/PE)

Case No. 09CEPR00431

Attorney: Heather H. Kruthers (for Petitioner/Conservator Public Guardian)

Fourth Account Current and Report of Conservator and Petition for Allowance of Compensation to Conservator and Attorney and for Dispensation of Further Accounts

			PUBLIC GUARDIAN, Conservator, is	NEEDS/PROBLEMS/COMMENTS:
			petitioner.	
			Please see petition for details.	Petition at page 2 paragraph 4 and the order page 2 paragraph both list the property on hand
Co	nt. from			as \$3,366.61. Summary of
	Aff.Sub.Wit.			account, and property on hand
✓	Verified			schedule list the property on hand as \$3,376.61. Examiner has
	Inventory			interlineated the order to reflect
	PTC			the property on hand as
	Not.Cred.			\$3,376.61.
√	Notice of			
	Hrg			
✓	Aff.Mail	W/		
	Aff.Pub.			
	Sp.Ntc.			
	Pers.Serv.			
	Conf.			
	Screen			
	Letters			
	Duties/Supp			
	Objections			
	Video			
	Receipt			
	CI Report			
	9202			
✓	Order			
	Aff. Posting			Reviewed by: KT
	Status Rpt			Reviewed on: 11/8/16
	UCCJEA			Updates:
	Citation			Recommendation:
	FTB Notice			File 2- Poff

3 Diana Gutierrez Reyes & Isaak Gutierrez Reyes (GUARD/P)

Case No. 10CEPR00378

Petitioner: Evelyn G. Gutierrez (pro per) Petitioner: Maria B. Calvillo (pro per)

Petition for Appointment of Guardian of the Person

	TEMPORARY EXPIRED ON 10 /10 /14 AND A	ıı
	TEMPORARY EXPIRED ON 10/19/16 - Not	NEEDS/PROBLEMS/COMMENTS:
	extended.	
		1. Need Notice of Hearing.
	MARIA B. CALVILLO, paternal	
Cont. from	grandmother, and EVELYN G.	2. Need proof of personal service of
 	GUTIERREZ, paternal aunt are	the Notice of Hearing along with
Aff.Sub.Wit.	petitioners.	a copy of the Petition, or Consent
 ✓ Verified		and Waiver of Notice or
Inventory	Please see petition for details.	Declaration of Due Diligence on:
Inventory	Ticase see perinori for actails.	a. Roberto Gutierrez (father)
PTC		b. Victoria Reyes (mother)
Not.Cred.		
Notice of	X	3. Need proof of service of the
Hrg		Notice of Hearing along with a
Aff.Mail	$\overline{\mathbf{x}}$	copy of the Petition, or Consent
Aff.Pub.	=	and Waiver of Notice or
Sp.Ntc.	=	Declaration of Due Diligence on: a. Roberto Gutierrez (paternal
		grandfather)
Pers.Serv.	X	b. Unknown maternal
✓ Conf.	X	grandfather
Screen		granaramer
✓ Letters		4. Need Confidential Guardian
a Duting/Summ	=	Screening form for Petitioner
✓ Duties/Supp		Evelyn Gutierrez.
Objections		Lveiyii Oolieliez.
Video		
Receipt		
CI Report	X	
9202		
	-	
✓ Order		
Aff. Posting		Reviewed by: KT
Status Rpt		Reviewed on: 11/8/16
✓ UCCJEA		Updates:
Citation		Recommendation:
FTB Notice	7	File 3- Reyes
11121101100	II	

4 Deanna Terrell-Federico, Alyssa Terrell-Avila, Bernice Terrell (GUARD/P) Case No. 11CEPR00487

Guardian: Louise B. Corrales (pro per) Guardian: Victor Corrales, SR (pro per)

Petitioner: Nicole Jeff (pro per)

Petition for Termination of Guardianship

	NICOLE IEEE mother is notitioner	NEEDS/PROBLEMS/COMMENTS:
	NICOLE JEFF, mother, is petitioner.	NEEDS/PROBLEMS/COMMENTS:
	Please see petition for details.	Petition does not include the names and current addresses for each father of the minors.
Cont. from		
Aff.Sub.Wit.		2. Petition does not include the
✓ Verified		names and current addresses for each paternal and maternal
Inventory		grandparent of the minors.
PTC		
Not.Cred.		3. Proof of service of the Notice of
✓ Notice of Hrg		Hearing is incomplete. It does not include the name , address and
Aff.Mail X		telephone number of the person
Aff.Pub.		doing the service (item #6)
Sp.Ntc.		4. Need proof of service of the
✓ Pers.Serv.		Notice of Hearing or Declaration of Due Diligence on:
Conf.		a. Each father of the minors
Screen		b. Each paternal grandparent of
Letters		the minors
Duties/Supp		c. Each maternal grandparent
Objections		of the minors
Video		d. Deanna Terrell-Federico
Receipt		(minor)
CI Report		
9202		
✓ Order		
Aff. Posting		Reviewed by: KT
Status Rpt		Reviewed on: 11/8/16
UCCJEA		Updates:
Citation		Recommendation:
FTB Notice		File 4- Terrell

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5 Vanessa Perez and Brianna Perez (GUARD/P) Case No. 11CEPR00716

Petitioner Perez, Sandra (Pro Per – Mother) Objector Rodriguez, Sylvia (Pro Per – Guardian)

Petition for Termination of Guardianship

	SANDRA PEREZ, mother, is petitioner.	NEEDS/PROBLEMS/COMMENTS:
Cont. from 092616, 101816 Aff.Sub.Wit. Verified Inventory	Please see petition for details	Minute Order of 10/18/2016: Examiner notes provided in open court. The Court orders that the minors are to remain under the current safety plan, and Sylvia Rodriguez may not see the minors alone at any time. The Court further orders that Amadeo Garcia and Petra Garcia are to be personally present in court on 11/15/2016.
PTC		1. Proof of Service – Civil filed
Not.Cred. ✓ Notice of Hrg		09/15/2016 indicates that Sylvia Rodriguez, guardian, was served by mail on 09/14/2016. The proof of
✓ Aff.Mail w/		service indicates that a Notice of
Aff.Pub.		Hearing was also served however
Sp.Ntc.		the Notice of Hearing along with the proof of service must be filed.
Pers.Serv.		The proof of service most be filed.
Conf.		2. Proof of Service – Civil filed
Screen Letters		09/15/2016 indicates that Angelo
Duties/Supp		Perez, Carlos Perez, and Petra Martinez, were served by mail on
Objections		09/14/2016. The proof of service
Video Receipt		indicates that a Notice of Hearing was also served however the
✓ CI Report		Notice of Hearing along with the proof of service must be filed.
9202		
✓ Order		For Objector:
		Proof of Service on Objection to Termination of Guardianship filed 09/01/2016 appears to be a copy. Need original.
Aff. Posting		Reviewed by: LV
Status Rpt		Reviewed on: 11/09/2016
UCCJEA		Updates:
Citation		Recommendation:
FTB Notice		File 5- Perez

6 Rosie Reyna (CONS/PE)

Case No. 13CEPR00908

Attorney Ryan M. Janisse (Petitioner, Court-appointed Attorney)

Petition for Attorney's Fees

			RYAN JANISSE, Court-appointed attorney	NEEDS/PROBLEMS/COMMENTS:
			for Conservatee on 10/20/2015, is	
			Petitioner.	•
Co	nt. from			
	Aff.Sub.Wit.		~Please see Petition for details~	
✓	Verified			
	Inventory			
	PTC			
	Not.Cred.			
1	Notice of			
	Hrg			
✓	Aff.Mail	W/		
	Aff.Pub.			
	Sp.Ntc.			
	Pers.Serv.			
	Conf.			
	Screen			
	Letters			
	Duties/Supp			
	Objections			
	Video			
	Receipt			
	CI Report			
	9202			
✓	Order			
	Aff. Posting			Reviewed by: LEG
	Status Rpt			Reviewed on: 11/7/16
	UCCJEA			Updates:
	Citation			Recommendation:
	FTB Notice			File 6- Reyna

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Christina DeLaCruz Irlas (Estate)

Case No. 14CEPR00634

Neilson, Bruce A., or Lawson, Pamela of Las Vegas, NV, for Co-Administrators)

Status RE: Filing of the First or Final Account

DOD: 2/27/14
Cont. from 090716,
100416, 101816
Aff.Sub.Wit.
Verified
Inventory
PTC
Not.Cred.
Notice of
Hrg
Aff.Mail
Aff.Pub.
Sp.Ntc.
Pers.Serv.
Conf.
Screen
Letters
Duties/Supp
Objections
Video
Receipt
CI Report
9202
Order
Aff. Posting
Status Rpt
UCCJEA
Citation
FTB Notice

IRENE IRLAS and RUBEN IRLAS were appointed Co-Administrators with Limited IAEA without bond on 7/14/15. Letters issued 7/14/15.

At the hearing on 7/14/15, the Court set this status hearing for the filing of the first or final account.

Note: 1&A filed 12/15/15 indicates real property in Selma, CA, valued at \$115,000 plus misc. furniture and furnishings valued at \$2,000 for a total estate value of \$117,000.00.

Status Declaration filed 9/6/16 states because of the number of heirs and because of the Medi-Cal liens that will need to be paid, the real property asset will need to be sold. While progress has been made cleaning and securing the property, and a real estate broker has been contacted, more time is needed to put the property in a condition to sell and to complete a sale of the real property. Accordingly, it is requested that the status hearing be continued to 10/4/16, since there is another hearing set for that date.

NEEDS/PROBLEMS/COMMENTS:

Minute Order 10/18/16: Mr. Neilson represents that Irene Irlas has bene living in the home rent-free since June. The Court orders Irene Irlas to vacate the property no later than 10/31/16 and orders that the realtor begin the sale process on 11/1/16. The Court reserves the right to remove the Co-Administrators.

Note: Page B is Co-Administrator Ruben Irlas' Petition to Compel Co-Administrator Irene Irlas to Sell Estate Real Property and to Vacate the Estate Property.

 Need first account or petition for final distribution pursuant to Probate Code §12200 or current written status report pursuant to Local Rule 7.5.

Reviewed by: skc

Reviewed on: 11/7/16

Updates:

Recommendation:
File 8A- Irlas

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Attorney Attorney Lawson, Pamela R. (of Las Vegas, NV, for Co-Administrator Ruben Irlas – Petitioner)

Neilson, Bruce A. (for Co-Administrator Irene Irlas)

Petition to Compel Administrator Irene Irlas to Sell Estate Property and to Vacate the Estate Property

DOD: 2/27/14		RUBEN IRLAS, Co-Administrator with	NEEDS/PROBLEMS/COMMENTS:
		Limited IAEA without bond, is Petitioner.	Minute Order 10/18/16: Mr. Neilson
		(Irene Irlas is the other Co-	represents that Irene Irlas has bene
		Administrator.)	living in the home rent-free since
	nt. from 100416,	Petitioner states he is one of the heirs	June. The Court orders Irene Irlas to
101	816	and one of the two co-administrators	vacate the property no later than 10/31/16 and orders that the realtor
	Aff.Sub.Wit.	appointed by the court. The only asset	begin the sale process on 11/1/16.
~	Verified	is the decedent's home in Selma, CA. Petitioner provides estate history and	The Court reserves the right to
	Inventory	states that due to objections to Irene	remove the Co-Administrators.
	PTC	Irlas' original petition for probate in	The following issues remain noted:
	Not.Cred.	2014, the result of mediation was that	Note: Need clarification re
~	Notice of	Irene and Ruben would be co-	representation: It appears from the
	Hrg	administrators, that Irene and her	file that attorneys Neilson and
~	Aff.Mail w	family would move out of the decedent's home and remove all	Lawson <u>together</u> have represented
	Aff.Pub.	vehicles from the backyard.	both of the co-administrators;
	Sp.Ntc.	,	however, this petition was filed by
	Pers.Serv.	Petitioner states that Ms. Irlas did move out, but did not remove all of her	Attorney Lawson only for Co- Administrator Ruben Irlas only.
	Conf.	furniture from the home and still has	However, the status report filed on
	Screen	not done so. Petitioner spent a month	9/6/16 (subsequent to this petition)
	Letters	cleaning up the yard and removing	again indicates both attorneys
	Duties/Supp	trash and other eyesores. He has tried	together for both co-administrators.
	Objections	to gain access to the house to clean it	1. Notice of Hearing (with copy of
	Video	up, paint the walls, and ready the house for sale, but Ms. Irlas has made	petition) was not served on the
	Receipt	excuse after excuse as to why she	Dept. of Health Care Services
	CI Report	could not meet him there to let him in.	pursuant to Request for Special Notice filed 11/24/14 pursuant to
	9202	Petitioner states Ms. Irlas does not want	Probate Code §1252.
	Order	the house sold; she wants to buy it,	·
		even though it has been made clear that at least two of her sons (heirs)	Note: This petition was filed with a fee waiver; however, upon distribution,
		object to her purchasing the property.	all fees will be due to the Court.
	Aff. Posting	Petitioner contacted real estate	Reviewed by: skc
	Status Rpt	agents to list the house, but Ms. Irlas	Reviewed on: 11/7/16
	UCCJEA	was uncooperative and in June 2016,	Updates:
	Citation	Ms. Irlas moved back into the house.	Recommendation:
	FTB Notice	On 6/20/16, counsel wrote to attorney	File 8B- Irlas
		Nielson (counsel for Ms. Irlas) trying to	
		resolve the matter. However, Mr.	
		Neilson had serious medical events	
		during administration. <u>SEE PAGE 2</u>	

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Counsel has tried in writing or telephonically to encourage Mr. Neilson to exercise control over his client to abide by agreements and orders of court, but efforts have been in vain, leaving the co-administrator no choice but to file this petition. The bottom line is that there is no cooperation from Irene Irlas in any aspect of administering the estate for the good of the heirs.

Petitioner states the house was appraised per the I&A at \$115,000, and reappraised at \$121,000 (when it was vacant and had been cleaned up). There is no liquidity in the estate. Ms. Irlas disposed of personal property so there is nothing that can be sold, so the only asset is the real property. The sale of the real property is necessary to obtain sufficient assets to pay debts, including the \$20,910.12 Medi-Cal claim.

Despite the above factors, Ms. Irlas has refused to list the property for sale or cooperate in readying the property for sale, and has taken actions to defeat any attempt to list and sell the property.

Since Ms. Irlas and/or her daughter and other unknown persons have moved back into the home, the property again needs to be cleared of trash and junk (see photos at Exhibit 4).

Petitioner prays for an order requiring Co-Administrator Irene Irlas and whomever she has permitted to live in the house to vacate the house, remove all belongings of whomever is living there, and join her co-administrator to list and sell the property on such terms and conditions and under such procedures as are required by law or as directed by this Court, and for such other orders as the Court deems proper.

Attorney Attorney Stephanie J. Krause Cota (for Joseph R. Martinez, Jr.)
Deborah K. Boyett (Court-appointed for Conservatee)

Probate Status Hearing Re: Filing of the First Account

		JOSEPH R. MARTINEZ, JR., son, was appointed Conservator of the Person and Estate on 6/16/2015 with bond set at \$24,000.00. Proof of Bond filed 3/12/2015. Letters issued on 6/23/2015.	NEEDS/PROBLEMS/ COMMENTS: Continued from
Verification Inventor	cred. ce of cail cb. ce. ce of cail cc. cen crs cs/Supp ctions co cipt cport	Final Inventory and Appraisal filed 11/5/2015 shows an estate consisting of life insurance policy with a face value to be determined, cash, and monthly benefits payments. Pursuant to Probate Code § 2620(a), the first account was due on 6/23/2016. Minute Order dated 6/16/2015 from the hearing on the petition for appointment of conservator set the matter for status hearing on 9/13/2016 for filing of the first account of the conservatorship. Status Report Regarding Filing of First Account filed 9/9/2016 for the previous Status Hearing.	9/13/2016. Minute Order states the Court grants one 60-day continuance, but the account must be filed by then. 1. Need first account of the conservatorship estate, or current verified Status Report and proof of service pursuant to Local Rule 7.5(B).
Aff. P	osting		Reviewed by: LEG
Status	s Rpt X		Reviewed on: 11/8/16
UCCJ	JEA		Updates:
Citati	ion		Recommendation:
FTB N	lotice		File 9- Martinez

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Attorney

Status RE: Filing of the First or Final Account

DOD: 9/21/14	JEANETTE GALLETO LAO , Daughter, was appointed Administrator on 9/15/15	NEEDS/PROBLEMS/COMMENTS:
	and bond was waived per Amended	Need first or final account per
	Order entered 11/4/15. Letters issued	Probate Code §12200 or written
	11/5/15.	status report per Local Rule 7.5.
Aff.Sub.Wit.	At the hearing on 9/15/15, the Court set	
Verified	this status hearing for the filing of the first	
Inventory	or final account.	
PTC		
Not.Cred.		
Notice of		
Hrg		
Aff.Mail		
Aff.Pub.		
Sp.Ntc.		
Pers.Serv.		
Conf.		
Screen		
Letters		
Duties/Supp		
Objections		
Video		
Receipt		
CI Report		
Order		
Aff. Posting		Reviewed by: skc
Status Rpt		Reviewed by: 3RC
UCCJEA		Updates:
Citation		Recommendation:
FTB Notice		File 10- Galleto

11 Attorney

Francisco Javier Gonzalez (GUARD/E) Ca Thelen, David J. (of Merced, for Guardian Dillila Aganza) Case No. 15CEPR00257

First Year Accounting, Motions and Declaration of Dilila Eululia Aganza

		DILILA AGANZA , Mother and Guardian of the Estate, is Petitioner.	NEEDS/PROBLEMS/ COMMENTS:
		Account period: 10/19/15 - 9/21/16 Accounting: \$9,136.00 Beginning POH: \$9,124.00	SEE PAGE 2
	Aff.Sub.Wit.	Ending POH: \$9,136.00 (\$9,135.67 at 8/31/16)	
>	Verified	(Cash held in blocked account)	
	Inventory	Daliti and an alamba and a san la and a san an an an and	
	PTC	Petitioner states she has been paying all expenses for her son as his mother but there have	
	Not.Cred.	been attorney fees and costs for obtaining	
	Notice of Hrg	guardianship as well as expenses for day care	
~	Aff.Mail	(\$250/month) and recreational team fee for her	
	Aff.Pub.	son (\$100). Petitioner requests an allowance of	
	Sp.Ntc.	\$350/month to cover the cost of daycare and to	
	Pers.Serv.	contribute to her son on a monthly basis to offset some of the cost of food, shelter, clothing and	
	Conf. Screen	medical care for him.	
~	Letters 8/20/15		
	Duties/Supp	Petitioner requests reimbursement of the cost of	
	Objections	day care from April 2015 to October 2016 in the	
	Video	total amount of \$4,750.00 . See statements filed	
	Receipt	confidentially.	
	CI Report	Petitioner requests the Court authorize her	
~	2620(c)	attorney fees (discounted to \$3,550.00) and costs	
~	Order	(\$1,688.01) to be paid from the guardianship	
	Aff. Posting	estate. See statements filed confidentially.	Reviewed by: skc
	Status Rpt	Politic per requests the Court waive future	Reviewed on: 11/8/16
	UCCJEA	Petitioner requests the Court waive future accountings pursuant to Probate Code §2628	Updates:
	Citation	because the estate is less than \$15,000 and	Recommendation:
	FTB Notice	income is less than \$2,000/month and Petitioner	File 11- Gonzalez
		only intends to pay for the necessities of life for	
		the minor	
		Petitioner states she originally believed the	
		insurance would be over \$100,000, but it turned	
		out to be less than \$10,000. If the above lump	
		sums are paid (\$4,750.00, \$3,550, \$1,688.01, and	
		\$100.00) there would be no remaining estate to	
		administer. Consequently, Petitioner also requests	
		close this estate pursuant to Probate Code §2626	
		as there would be no remaining assets.	

11 Francisco Javier Gonzalez (GUARD/E) Case No. 15CEPR00257

Page 2 - NEEDS/PROBLEMS/COMMENTS:

- 1. Need clarification re the request for \$5,238.01 in attorney fees and costs with reference to Probate Code §2640(c) (just and reasonable) given the size of the minor's estate (\$9,135.67). Compare also to guideline amount at Local Rule 7.16 (\$2,500.00 for establishment of guardianship estate and first account).
- 2. Of the \$1,688.01 requested in attorney costs, only \$870.00 (filing fees) appears allowable. The Court may disallow \$818.01 as charges for CourtCall appearances, runner services, copies, fax, and postage are considered by the Court to be costs of doing business and not reimbursable pursuant to Local Rule 7.17.
- 3. Many of the attorney's (and paralegal's) line items appear secretarial/clerical in nature, such as tasks associated with coordinating filings by runner service, etc. The Court may require clarification.
- 4. Attorney includes paralegal work totaling \$1,077.75, but does not provide the required information about the paralegal pursuant to Cal. Rules of Court 7.751, 7.703(e).
- 5. Charges for communications with Probate Examiners are not appropriate pursuant to Local Rule 7.17. The Court may disallow \$108.00 from the total.
- 6. Need clarification re the request for reimbursement of child care expenses dating back to April 2015 in the amount of \$4,750.00. Examiner notes that the minor's father passed away in August 2012 and Petitioner has been the minor's sole
- 7. Need clarification re the request for \$350/month, given that Petitioner's additional requests would deplete the minor's funds if granted. The Court may require clarification re Petitioner's financial circumstances in order to consider such request, if funds remain.
- 8. Petitioner did not use the mandatory Judicial Council Notice of Hearing (Form GC-020) for service on interested parties pursuant to Cal. Rule of Court 7.101 and Probate Code §1460(b)(5). The Court may require further notice.

12A Jaime N. Ruiz (CONS/P)

Case No. 15CEPR00451

Attorney Teixeira, J. Stanley (for Ruiz, Rosa P. –Spouse)

Attorney Flanigan, Philip. (for Elizabeth A. Vasquez –Daughter)
Attorney Horton, Lisa (Court Appointed for Proposed Conservatee)
Probate Status Hearing

Prodate Status Hearing				
	ELIZABETH A. VASQUEZ, daughter,	NEEDS/PROBLEMS/COMMENTS:		
	petitioned for appointment as			
	Conservator of the person, with medical	Continued from 07/26/2016		
	consent and dementia powers to	12R and 12C are the competing Politions for		
Comb from 100715	administer dementia medications on	12B and 12C are the competing Petitions for Appointment of Conservator.		
Cont. from 102715,	04/30/2015.	Appointment of Conservator.		
110315, 120815,		Rosa P. Ruiz was appointed Temporary		
020216, 072616	ROSA P. RUIZ, spouse, filed an Objection	Conservator of the Person only, EXPIRES		
Aff.Sub.Wit.	to Petition for Appointment of	11/15/2016		
Verified	Conservator Probate Code Section 1812	<u>,,</u>		
Inventory	on 06/09/2015. ROSA P. RUIZ , also filed a	PUBLIC GUARDIAN APPOINTED		
PTC	competing petition requesting appointment as Conservator of the	CONSERVATOR OF THE ESTATE PURSUANT TO		
Not.Cred.	person, with medical consent and	MINUTE ORDER OF 12/08/2015		
Notice of	dementia powers to administer	Minute Order of 02/02/2016 (in part): For the		
Hrg	dementia medications. She also	record, it appears all parties present agree		
Aff.Mail	requested that the PUBLIC GUARDIAN ,	that all trust assets should be turned over to		
Aff.Pub.	be appointed as Conservator of the	the Public Guardian; the Court directs		
	estate.	counsel to file a stipulation stating said		
Sp.Ntc.		agreement. Counsel agree to continue this		
Pers.Serv.	Each matter was set to be heard	matter to 07/26/2016.		
Conf.	together on 09/03/2015. Court set a trial			
Screen	for a two day estimate on 10/20/2015			
Letters	with Settlement statements due by			
Duties/Supp	09/15/2015 and a Settlement			
Objections	Conference for 09/22/2015.			
Video	A 4: d- On-l			
Receipt	Minute Order of 09/22/2015 set this Status			
CI Report	Hearing. The minute order states that the 10/20/2015 trial date is vacated.			
9202	10/20/2013 iliai dale is vacalea.			
 	Declaration of Court Appointed Counsel,			
Order Aff Posting	Lisa Horton, filed 10/26/2015 states on	Poviowed by: 1\/		
Aff. Posting	09/22/2015, the parties and counsel met	Reviewed by: LV		
Status Rpt	in a settlement conference. It was	Reviewed on: 11/09/2016		
UCCJEA	agreed upon by the parties that the trial	Updates:		
Citation	scheduled for 10/20/2015 would go off	Recommendation:		
FTB Notice	calendar and Elizabeth Vasquez was to	File 12A – Ruiz		
	provide an accounting as Trustee of the			
	Ruiz Family Grantor Trust and all monies			
	used as Agent under a Durable Power of			
	Attorney. A status hearing for the			
	accounting was set for 10/27/2015.			
	<u>Please see additional page</u>			

12A Jaime N. Ruiz (CONS/P)

Case No. 15CEPR00451

Status of Accounting On 10/20/2015, Ms. Horton called and left a message for Elizabeth Vasquez's attorney to call with a status of filing the accounting. A call back has not been received. As of the signing of the declaration, Ms. Horton has not received any accounting by Elizabeth Vasquez. On 10/22/2015, copies of the following bank statements were received from Attorney Robert Cassio:

- Elizabeth Vasquez personal bank account statements with EECU;
- Elizabeth Vasquez's REP FBO client Jaime Ruiz Bank of the West Statements (account for PDA);
- The Ruiz Family Grantor Trust with Elizabeth Vasquez as Trustee Bank of the West statements for the trust savings and checking accounts.

The bank statements provided to Mr. Cassio by Elizabeth Vasquez pursuant to a document demand in the Elder Abuse Action (see FCSC Case No. 15CEFL03258). Ms. Horton has reviewed the bank statements and found several transactions that are of major concern to her particularly with the trust account. It would take several pages to list out every single troublesome transaction, so a few are highlighted for the Court.

In the Bank of the West Grantor Trust checking account there are several transactions that could be a breach of Elizabeth Vasquez's duty as trustee.

- i. In the June 12, 2015 statement attached hereto as Exhibit A, there are two charges totaling \$564.95 for a hotel room at Best Western for Elizabeth Vasquez. There is also a \$2,000 retainer payment made to attorney firm Rusca and Rusca for Elizabeth, Lisa and Lorraine's attorney in the elder abuse action. These charges are not for the benefit of Ms. Horton's client, and her client's funds cannot be used for Elizabeth, Lisa and Lorraine's personal benefits especially their own attorney.
- ii. In the March 13, 2015 statement attached as Exhibit B, there are charges totaling \$604 to a Dog and Cat Vet place. Ms. Horton's client does not own animals, so clearly these charges are not for his benefit. There is also a \$265.45 charge to Macy's which seems excessive for a 78 year-old man especially since \$412.80 was charged at Kohl's in the same month form Ms. Horton's clients Bank of the West REP FBO account.

In the Bank of the West REP FBO account where Ms. Horton's client's social security was previously coming in and his two pension payments totaling \$497.49 are still currently being deposited, here is a list of transactions Ms. Horton believes were not for the benefit of her client, but for Elizabeth Vasquez:

- i. Almost every month there is a large payment to an American Express credit card. In the March 13, 2015 statement attached hereto as Exhibit C, a \$400.00 payment was made to America Express. There are also payments made in 2014 to an EECU Visa credit card as well. Ms. Horton's client has never owned a credit card and to the families knowledge does not currently have one. According to Elizabeth Vasquez's personal bank statements, she does have an America Express credit card. Also shown on Exhibit C are transactions for \$412.80 at Kohl's, \$20.52 at Sizzler, \$32.52 at Hometown Buffett, and two withdrawals of cash totaling \$700.00.
- ii. In the January 14, 2015 statement attached hereto as Exhibit D, there is a \$433.45 charge for concert tickets to Juan Gabriel, a \$34.99 amazon.com purchase and a \$326.05 charge to Johnny's Custom Auto Body Shop in Gilroy, Ca. where Elizabeth Vasquez lives.
- iii. In the December 13, 2013 statement attached hereto as Exhibit E, there are several charges to restaurants and Walmart in Gilroy.

The above charges and attached exhibits are just a sample of the concerning transactions made by Elizabeth Vasquez as the agent for Jaime Ruiz under a DPA that she still uses despite the restraining order, and as the Trustee of the Irrevocable Grantor Trust holding Ms. Horton's client's assets.

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Status of Elder Abuse Action

There are three separate elder abuse actions, one against Elizabeth Vasquez, her stepdaughter, Lisa Vasquez, and Lorraine Nava (daughter of Jaime Ruiz). The Honorable Judge Tyler D. Tharpe ruled that each elder abuse action would be heard separately. On October 14th, 15th, and 16th, the trial for just Lorraine Nava was heard. The matters were not concluded so the trial was continued to January 5th, 6th, and 7th, 2016. The elder abuse temporary restraining orders remain in full force and effect until then.

There is currently a pending petition filed by Rosa Ruiz for the appointment of the Fresno County Public Guardian as the conservator of the estate of Jaime Ruiz. Until the elder abuse action has resolved, based on the information that has been provided, Ms. Horton requests that the Court temporarily suspend the Durable Power of Attorney currently being used by Elizabeth Vasquez and appoint the Public Guardian as the conservator of Jaime N. Ruiz's estate.

Ms. Horton further requests that this Court temporarily place the Public Guardian as Successor Trustee of the Ruiz Family Grantor Trust or alternatively, order that there be no further withdrawals until a petition can be filed to remove Elizabeth Vasquez as trustee. Ms. Horton believes her client's assets are in jeopardy and need immediate protection. This matter has been discussed with Deputy Counsel, Heather Kruthers and she consents to the PG being appointed.

Declaration of Danielle Guerrero filed 10/26/2015 states on December 16, 2014, Elizabeth A. Vasquez ("Trustee") established the Ruiz Family Grantor Trust (the "Trust") for the benefit of Jaime N. Ruiz ("Beneficiary") as pre-planning for Medi-Cal in an effort to get the Beneficiary qualified for benefits as he has been diagnosed with dementia and is unable to care for himself. Petitioner's report covers the period of December 16, 2014, through September 30, 2015. A Summary of Account and schedules are attached as Exhibit A. On January 16, 2015, the Trustee opened a Bank of the West Trust checking account with an opening deposit of \$100, representing the initial funding of the Trust. On January 22, 2015, the Trustee deposited an additional \$4,500.00 into the Trust checking account, opened a Trust savings account with Bank of the West, and transferred \$200.00 into the savings account as an opening deposit. The money used to fund the Trust came from the Social Security Representative Payee account managed by Elizabeth A. Vasquez for Jaime N. Ruiz. These transactions are detailed in Schedule A, Receipts-Other of the Account attached as Exhibit A and made part of this Report.

On January 28, 2015, as part of Medi-Cal preplanning, the Trustee deposited two checks, both in the amount of \$15,000.00 for a total of \$30,000.00, into the Trust Checking account. These checks were also made out of the Representative Payee Account and went directly into the Trust account. These transactions are detailed in Schedule A, Receipts-Other of the Account attached as Exhibit A and made part of this report.

Loan on Life Insurance Policy with Northwestern Mutual. As part of Medi-Cal preplanning, effective January 20, 2015, the Trustee took out a loan on the life insurance policy for Beneficiary in the amount of \$38,945.01. This money was first deposited into the Representative Payee Checking account, after which \$38,000.00 was deposited into the Trust checking account on February 13, 2015. This deposit is detailed in Schedule A, Receipt-Other of the Account attached as Exhibit A and made part of this report.

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Sale of Truck belonging to Jaime N. Ruiz. As part of Medi-Cal preplanning, and in an effort to minimize expense on the Trust, the Trustee sold the Beneficiary's truck to John Leos for \$1,000.00. This money was then deposited into the Representative Payee bank account, not in the Trust account. This transaction is detailed in Schedule F, Change in form of Assets of the Account attached as Exhibit A and is counted as a loss to the Trust on Schedule D, Losses on Sales of the Account.

At all times during the period of administration, petitioner has kept all surplus cash interest bearing accounts. The assets on hand consist of a one-third (1/3) interest in real property located at 324 N. College Ave, Fresno, California, and cash in the amount of \$34,105.69.

Declaration of Philip M. Flanigan filed 11/02/2015 states since approximately 2013, Elizabeth Vasquez has been the primary person responsible for seeing to Mr. Ruiz's well-being. Ms. Vasquez arranged for caregivers to provide care to Mr. Ruiz at his home and was making sure that the caregivers were paid in a timely manner. However, after several months, the caregivers quit due to what they claim was ongoing harassment and verbal abuse by Petitioner, Rosie Ruiz, the proposed conservatee's wife.

In or about 08/2013, Mr. Ruiz executed estate planning documents including a Revocable Living Trust, General Durable Power of Attorney and Advanced Healthcare Directives. The documents were drafted by an attorney named Gregory A. Broiles of San Jose, California.

Mr. Brioles has stated that he spent a considerable amount of time alone with Mr. Ruiz prior to drafting said documents in order to assure that Mr. Ruiz was competent and free of any undue influence. Having satisfied his concerns in this regard, Mr. Broiles prepared the appropriate documents which Mr. Ruiz executed on August 29, 2013. In said documents, Mr. Ruiz named his daughter Elizabeth A. Vasquez as his attorney-in-fact and as agent under his Advanced Directive and Trustee under the Revocable Living Trust (true and correct copies of the documents are attached hereto as Exhibit A).

Insofar as she was named as agent under the Advanced Directive for the proposed conservatee, Ms. Vasquez understood that it was her responsibility to assure that all of Mr. Ruiz's care needs were appropriately addressed. Because Mr. Ruiz was in need of more care than what his wife was capable of providing, MR. Vasquez arranged for two additional caregivers to provide assistance to Mr. Ruiz.

Additionally, because Mr. Ruiz was in need of additional care and because the cost of providing such additional care exceeded his available income, Ms. Vasquez began exploring the possibility of obtaining additional assistance through the Medi-Cal program. Ms. Vasquez retained the services of Jeff Ferguson of Quality Life Solutions to assist in qualifying Mr. Ruiz for Medi-Cal. As part of the qualification process, an Intentionally Defective Irrevocable Trust was created to hold assets belonging to Mr. Ruiz that needed to be transferred in order to establish Medi-Cal eligibility (a true and correct copy of that trust is attached hereto as Exhibit B).

Under the terms of the Irrevocable Trust, Mr. Ruiz relinquished all access to, and control of, the assets that were transferred to said trust. This was necessary in order to establish Medi-Cal eligibility. Under the terms of the trust, the beneficiary is Elizabeth A. Vasquez. This beneficiary designation matched the beneficiary designation as set forth in the Revocable Living Trust previously executed by Mr. Ruiz in August 2013.

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As such, it did not change any of the dispositive provisions of Mr. Ruiz' prior estate plan. Mr. Ruiz apparently did not name his other daughter, Lorraine in his estate planning documents because she was named as the beneficiary under the estate plan prepared for Petition, herein, Rosie Ruiz. Additionally, the estate plan of Mr. Ruiz only dealt with his portion of the estate which consisted of his sole and separate property.

Ms. Vasquez indicates that during the time the Medi-Cal planning was undertaken Petitioner, herein, Mrs. Ruiz was aware of the planning and was in agreement with the same. She abruptly changed her mind, however, when Ms. Vasquez caused the sale of the pickup truck belonging to Mr. Ruiz. Ms. Vasquez indicates that the pickup was sold because it was in need of substantial repairs which Mr. Ruiz could not afford. Additionally, Mr. Ruiz was no longer able to drive the pickup and yet was paying for insurance on the vehicle. Accordingly, Ms. Vasquez states that she discussed the matter with her mother, and the decision was made to sell the truck. The proceeds from the sale were deposited into the bank account established for Mr. Ruiz that received his social security benefits, which incidentally, named Elizabeth Vasquez as the designated payee. In fact, Ms. Vasquez had been the designated payee for social security payments to Mr. Ruiz for several years and had managed the finances for Mr. Ruiz during that entire period of time. While there were no objections to the manner in which she managed said funds, once the proceeds from the pickup truck were deposited into the account, Mrs. Ruiz immediately changed her attitude and began to falsely accuse Ms. Vasquez of stealing the truck and selling it without her permission.

Mrs. Ruiz also began to prevent Ms. Vasquez from taking Mr. Ruiz to his doctor appointments. Because she was the agent designated under Mr. Ruiz' Advanced Health Care Directive, Ms. Vasquez felt a responsibility to act in her father's best interest. When she could not obtain the cooperation from her mother to allow for Mr. Ruiz to be taken into his doctor appointments, Ms. Vasquez decided to file the instant petition for conservatorship of the person. In response, Mrs. Ruiz filed the counter petition for conservatorship of the person and the estate. Additionally, Ms. Vasquez also applied for a temporary restraining order against Ms. Vasquez and her sister and in it falsely alleged physical abuse. The temporary restraining order is the subject of a separate proceeding, which is set for hearing in January 2016.

In the present conservatorship proceedings, Ms. Vasquez has been falsely accused of stealing her father's money. Because of these false accusations, there has been a certain amount of prejudice directed towards her which the undersigned believes is patently unfair. Once, again, it is very important that the court understand and that Ms. Vasquez was managing her father's money for several years prior to initiation of the conservatorship proceedings. There were no incidents during this time period and no objections from her mother, Rosie Ruiz. During that time period, Mr. Ruiz was being well cared for in his home. Ms. Vasquez was simply attempting to ensure that this could continue and that if necessary, Mr. Ruiz could be transferred to a skilled nursing facility, if appropriate. Ms. Vasquez was simply attempting to continue taking care of her father as he had requested her to do and as evidenced by his estate planning documents executed in August of 2013.

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At no time has any one, including the court appointed counsel for Mr. Ruiz, attempted to contact Mr. Broiles to get his input regarding preparation of the estate planning documents he did for Mr. Ruiz. Moreover, at no time has anyone attempted to set aside or challenge the legal documents prepared by Mr. Brioles. This is extremely important because if the legal documents prepared for Mr. Ruiz by Mr. Brioles in August of 2013 are valid, then it is respectfully submitted that his wishes should be carried out and his daughter Elizabeth Vasquez should be appointed as conservator of his person. Additionally, if said documents are valid, no conservator of the estate is necessary or required as once again, Ms. Vasquez would have the ability to manage her father's assets under the terms of the General Durable Power of Attorney. Further, if the documents are valid, then Ms. Vasquez was acting within her power in establishing the Ruiz Family Grantor Trust and in transferring assets from Mr. Ruiz to said trust. Additionally, under the terms of said trust, Ms. Vasquez is the ultimate beneficiary, and the funds is irrelevant insofar as Mr. Ruiz.

Because Mr. Ruiz has executed valid estate planning documents which have not been challenged and/or set aside, it is respectfully submitted that his wishes should be carried out as set forth in said documents. In the event counsel for Mrs. Ruiz and/or court appointed counsel for Mr. Ruiz dispute the validity of the estate planning documents then they certainly can file an appropriate petition to challenge and to seek to have the same set aside. However, to falsely assert that Ms. Vasquez is somehow engaging in inappropriate conduct is simply no warranted by the facts and is continuing to prevent her from carrying out her father's wishes. As such, it is respectfully requested that the court deny the oral Ex Parte request to appoint the public guardian as conservator of the person and the estate of Mr. Ruiz.

It is also brought to the Court's attention that per the agreement of the parties reached at the settlement conference, Ms. Vasquez is cooperating with Ms. Ruiz in addressing the care needs of the proposed conservatee. Ms. Vasquez has been instructed not to interfere Mrs. Ruiz' efforts to care for her husband and in exchange, Mrs. Ruiz, through her counsel, has agreed to provide periodic updates to Ms. Vasquez regarding doctor appointments and doctor visits pertaining to Mr. Ruiz. Insofar, as Mr. Ruiz' income, Mrs. Ruiz has become the designated payee for Mr. Ruiz's social security benefits and has been receiving those for several months. As such, Mrs. Ruiz is the person now responsible for paying all bills and expenses associated with Mr. Ruiz.

Declaration of Philip M. Flanigan in Compliance with Court Order filed 11/10/2015 states Elizabeth A. Vasquez complied with the Court's 11/10/2015 order and turned over all bank records, checkbooks, credit cards pertaining to Jaime Ruiz and the Ruiz Family Grantor Trust, in her possession, custody and control. Ms. Vasquez has advised the undersigned that to the best of her knowledge she does not possess or have access to any other records pertaining to Jaime Ruiz and thus, has fully complied with the Court's order. Ms. Vasquez has also previously filed with the Court, an Accounting for the period of 12/16/2014 through 09/30/2015. Ms. Vasquez has also provided this Accounting to the Public Guardian. Additionally, Ms. Vasquez has provided the Public Guardian with the backup documentation for the Accounting showing the details for each transaction reflected therein. Ms. Vasquez is not attempting to sell any assets belonging to Mr. Ruiz and/or the trust. No such efforts have been undertaken in at least the last sixty days. Moreover, since creation of the Ruiz Family Grantor Trust, Ms. Vasquez has not taken any steps to sell any assets belonging to Mr. Ruiz.

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Continued from previous page: At the direction of her financial advisor, Ms. Vasquez did borrow on a life insurance policy belonging to Mr. Ruiz held at Northwestern Mutual, Policy No. 7203522. The loan amount of \$38,945.01 was to be transferred to the Ruiz Family Grantor Trust as was ownership of the policy. The loan was to have then been paid back with ownership of the policy now held in the name of the trust. This was done for purposes of removing the cash value of the policy from Mr. Ruiz' so as to enable him to qualify for Medi-Cal benefits to obtain assistance with his care needs. The monies were deposited into a bank account in the name of Mr. Ruiz and the funds, less \$945.01, were thereafter transferred to an account in the name of the Ruiz Family Grantor Trust.

Once again, all bank account information has been turned over by Ms. Vasquez to the Public Guardian and Ms. Vasquez remains willing to answer any and all questions the Public Guardian may have regarding the assets of Mr. Ruiz and/or the transactions engaged in by Ms. Vasquez.

Declaration of J. Stanley Teixeira filed 12/03/2015 states on 11/16/2015 he hand delivered financial documents and information to deputy Public Guardian Stacy Mauro regarding the assets of Jaime N. Ruiz and any and all trusts established utilizing his assets.

Declaration of Deputy Public Guardian Stacy Mauro regarding Attempts to Marshal Assets from Elizabeth Vasquez filed 12/07/2015 states the Public Guardian was appointed as temporary conservator of the estate of the conservatee. The Public Guardian understood the order to mean that she was to marshal all assets owned by the conservatee, regardless of the vesting. Her attempts to work with Elizabeth Vasquez and her attorney Philip M. Flanigan are set forth in emails, which are attached hereto as Exhibit B.

The PG requests instructions from the Court and direction to Ms. Vasquez regarding which assets are to be turned over to the PG.

Elizabeth Vasquez purchased a 2012 Nissan Altima with Jaime and Rosa's funds and registered the vehicle in her own name. According to DMV, Elizabeth submitted a release of liability on 11/09/2015 releasing liability in the vehicle from herself to Rosa (the conservatee's wife). At this time, the vehicle is still registered to Elizabeth Vasquez as the release of liability form does not transfer ownership. Elizabeth must sign the title over to Rosa and Jaime and provide it to Rosa so Rosa can go to the DMV and transfer title. Ms. Mauro intends to demand that Elizabeth sign title to Jaime and Rosa. However, if she does not, it would be requested that the Court order he to do so.

Status Report and Declaration of Philip M. Flanigan filed 01/29/2016 states on 11/03/2015, the Court issued an Order appointing Rosie Ruiz as temporary Conservator of the Person of Jaime Ruiz. She has been acting since that time. Rosie Ruiz also filed an application for Restraining Order. That matter is being heard in a different department and has been continued on several occasions. It is now set for continued trial on 04/12/2016 and 04/13/2016. As many of the issues in the Restraining Order proceedings will have an impact on the present conservatorship proceedings, it is requested that the conservatorship matters likewise be continued to a date subsequent to the conclusion of the trial on the application for Restraining Order. In the meantime, it is also requested that Elizabeth A. Vasquez be granted permission to have supervised visitations with her father as for the past several months she has been completely isolated from him by Rosie Ruiz. It is proposed that such visitations take place in the presence of the Public Administrator/Guardian who has been appointed Conservator of the Estate of Jaime Ruiz.

12B Jaime N. Ruiz (CONS/P) Case No. 15CEPR00451

Attorney Flanigan, Philip (for Elizabeth A. Vasquez – Petitioner – Daughter)

Attorney Horton, Lisa (Court Appointed for Proposed Conservatee)

Attorney Teixeira, J. Stanley (for Ruiz, Rosa P. – Objector/Competing Petitioner - Spouse)

Petition for Appointment of Probate Conservator of the Person

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12C Jaime N. Ruiz (CONS/PE)

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Attorney Horton, Lisa (Court Appointed for Proposed Conservatee)
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13 Virgil Joseph Brandon (Estate)

Case No. 15CEPR00527

Petitioner Craig Joseph Brandon (Pro Per)

Petition for Final Distribution on Waiver of Accounting, for Reimbursement to Executor and Allowance of Administrator's Commissions

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UCCJEA Updates: Citation Recommendation:					
FIB Notice File 13- Brandon		Citation			Recommendation:
	1	FTB Notice			File 13- Brandon

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- 3. Exhibit A, Expenses of Administrator includes the following request for reimbursement totaling \$735.24 for costs that are not allowed per Local Rule 7.17(B), or are allowed only in the Court's discretion:
- 4/7/2015 payment of **\$54.24** for probate book;
- 5/17/2015 payment of **\$675.00** for paralegal assistance fees;
- 7/1/2015 payment of **\$6.00** for parking.
- 4. Proposed distribution purports to deduct the sum of \$4,473.53 for additional expenses from the share of CHRIS VIRGIL BRANDON, son, without any indication that he has been served with notice of this hearing or served a copy of the Petition that seeks to offset his share of distribution from the Decedent's estate. Despite the Waiver of Accounting filed 8/22/2016 signed by Chris Brandon, Court may require consent to the proposed distribution to CHRIS VIRGIL BRANDON, to demonstrate his acknowledgment of the following offsets to be deducted from his share, as stated in the Petition:
- Deduction of \$2,532.26 for ½ of unpaid rent due to Craig Joseph Brandon for the months of December 2015 to May 2016;
- Deduction of \$1,851.20 for attorney's fees to evict Chris Virgil Brandon from the residence so it could be sold;
- Deduction of \$94.07 for cable box lost by Chris Virgil Brandon.
- 5. Need proposed order pursuant to Local Rule 7.6.1, containing a statement as to the balance of the estate on hand, specifically noting the amount of cash included in the balance, and the amounts to be distributed.

14 Angel Harvey, Francisco Ramos (GUARD/P) Case No. 15CEPR01110 Petitioner: Moises Francisco Ramos (Pro per – Maternal uncle)

Petition for Appointment of Guardian of the Person (as to Francisco Ramos only)

		TEMPORARY EXPIRES 11/15/2016	NEEDS/PROBLEMS/COMMENTS:
		MOISES FRANCISCO RAMOS, maternal uncle, is petitioner.	This petition is as to Francisco Ramos only.
t. from Aff.Sub.Wit. Verified Inventory PTC Not.Cred. Notice of Hrg Aff.Mail Aff.Pub. Sp.Ntc. Pers.Serv. Conf. Screen Letters Duties/Supp Objections Video Receipt CI Report	X	Please see petition for details.	 Need Notice of Hearing. Need proof of service at least 15 days before the hearing of the Notice of Hearing with copy of petition or consents and waivers of notice or declarations of due diligence for: Extacy Harvey (half-sibling – 14 years) Angel Harvey (half-sibling – 16 years) Need Declaration Under Uniform Child Custody Jurisdiction and Enforcement Act (UCCJEA) form (Judicial Council Form GC-120).
Aff. Posting Status Rpt UCCJEA Citation	X		Reviewed by: SEF Reviewed on: 11/8/2016 Updates: 11/9/2016 Recommendation:
FTB Notice			File 14- Harvey/ Ramos

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Attorney Jeffrey A. Jaech (for Petitioner Gary J. Bettencourt, Executor)

First and Final Account and Report of Personal Representative and Petition for Its Settlement, for Allowance of Attorney's Fees; and for Final Distribution

DC	D: 6/24/2015	GARY J. BETTENCOURT, spouse and Executor, is Petitioner.	NEEDS/PROBLEMS/COMMENTS:
		Account period: 6/24/2015 - 8/31/2016 Accounting - \$336,117.39	
Со	nt. from	Beginning POH - \$336,013.86	
	Aff.Sub.Wit.	Ending POH - \$334,466.39	
✓	Verified	(\$121,966.39 is cash)	
✓	Inventory	Executor - waives	
✓	PTC	Attorney - \$9,722.35	
✓	Not.Cred.	(statutory)	
1	Notice of	Creditor's Claim - \$327,710.99	
	Hrg	(payable to Petitioner per Order Approving	
✓	Aff.Mail W	Creditor's Claim filed 9/1/2016; to be partially paid with estate real property valued at	
	Aff.Pub.	\$212,500.00, plus cash up to \$115,210.00	
	Sp.Ntc.	(cash of \$112,966.39 is available for payment	
	Pers.Serv.	less fees and costs); payment is for	
	Conf.	contribution of Petitioner's separate property	
	Screen	funds for the construction and improvement of	
	Letters 020416	the residence built on lot in Shaver Lake, CA;)	
	Duties/Supp	Costs - \$535.30	
	Objections	(filing fees, certified copies)	
	Video		
	Receipt	Distribution pursuant to Decedent's Will and	
	CI Report	to	
✓	9202	Settlement Agreement (copy attached as Exhibit 1) executed by estate beneficiaries is	
✓	Order	as follows:	
	Aff. Posting	• GARY BETTENCOURT – ½ interest in real	Reviewed by:
	Status Rpt	property, and \$112,966.39 cash in partial	Reviewed on: 11/8/16
	UCCJEA	satisfaction of creditor's claim.	Updates: 11/9/16
	Citation		Recommendation: SUBMITTED
✓	FTB Notice		File 16 - Bettencourt

Attorney: Catherine A. Amador (for Petitioner Teresa J. Goff)

Petition for Appointment of Guardian of the Estate

Continued from 1 11/7/16 the follow remain: Cont. from 101816 Aff.Sub.Wit. ✓ Verified Inventory Inventory Continued from 1 11/7/16 the follow remain: 1. Need proof of service of the Hearing along the petition or	
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✓ Verified service of the Hearing along the petition or	f personal
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	r consent and
PTC waiver of notic	
Not.Cred. a. Alain Gera	ome (tather) Gerome (minor)
Hra	, ,
✓ Aff.Mail W/ 2. Petitioner requiset at \$160,875	75.00. Bond is
Aff.Pub. only necessar	*
Sp.Ntc. personal prop	perty, as the real
Pers. Serv. X sold/encumber	ered etc. without
✓ Conf. prior court ap	
	per CRC §7.207.
✓ Duties/Supp 3. Court file indic	cates the minor is
	o her deceased
Receipt Will. There is n	ther Felix Castro's
CI Report N/A that an estate	een deposited or
9202 opened for Fe	
✓ Order Fresno County clarification.	
	dditional page
Aff. Posting Reviewed by: KT	
Status Rpt Reviewed on: 11	1///16
✓ UCCJEA Updates:	
Citation Recommendation	
FTB Notice File 18- Gerome	

18 Michelle Gerome (GUARD/E)

Case No. 16CEPR00933

Note: If the petition is granted, status hearings will be set as follows:

- Wednesday, December 14, 2016 at 9:00 a.m. in Department 303, for the filing of the bond
- **Wednesday, March 15, 2017** at 9:00 a.m. in Department 303, for the filing of the inventory and appraisal.
- Wednesday, January 17, 2018 at 9:00 a.m. in Department 303, for the filing of the first account.

Pursuant to Local Rule 7.5 if the required documents are filed 10 days prior the date set the status hearing will come off calendar and no appearance will be required.

19 Rikkie Cottrell, Brooklyn Lewelling (GUARD/P) Case No. 16CEPR00970

Petitioner: Melissa C. Beyer-Mora (Pro per – Paternal step-grandmother)

Petition for Appointment of Guardian of the Person

			Petition for Appointment of Guardian of t	
			NO TEMPORARY REQUESTED	NEEDS/PROBLEMS/COMMENTS:
	ont. from		MELISSA BEYER-MORA, paternal stepgrandmother, is petitioner.	Petitioner: 1. Need proof of service at least 15 days before the hearing of
	Aff.Sub.Wit.			the Notice of Hearing with a
1	Verified		Please see petition for details.	copy of the petition <u>or</u> consents and waivers of notice <u>or</u>
	Inventory			declarations of due diligence for:
	PTC			a. Jeff Fontanilla (paternal
	Not.Cred.			grandfather, but listed in
✓	Notice of Hrg			petition as "maternal" grandfather)
	Aff.Mail			b. Maternal grandfather
	Aff.Pub.			(name not listed)
	Sp.Ntc.			c. Autom Verdo
1	Pers.Serv.	w/		(maternal grandmother) 2. Item #3b of UCCJEA filed
1	Conf. Screen			9/16/2016 lists Rikkie's residence information as 2011 to present.
✓	Letters			However, Rikkie was not born until 2013. Need correct
✓	Duties/Supp			residence information for Rikkie.
✓	Objections			Objector:
	Video Receipt			Need proof of service of objection on:
✓	CI Report			a. Melissa Beyer-Mora
	9202			(petitioner)
1	Order			b. Glen Brady Cottrell (father)
	Aff. Posting			Reviewed by: SEF
	Status Rpt			Reviewed on: 11/9/2016
✓	UCCJEA			Updates:
	Citation			Recommendation:
	FTB Notice			File 19- Cottrell/ Lewelling

Attorney: James P. Hurlbutt (for Petitioner Helen V. Huerta)

Petition for Transfer of Community Property and for the Authorization for Proposed Transactions Under Probate Code Section 3101 and for Order of Support Against Institutionalized Spouse Under 42 United States Code Section 1396R-5

			HELEN V. HUERTA is petitioner.	NEEDS/PROBLEMS/COMMENTS:
			Petitioner states she is 89 years of age. Her spouse, Victor J. Huerta is 98 years of age. They were married on 11/14/1942. They had	
Со	nt. from	ī	one child, now deceased, leaving no issue.	
	Aff.Sub.Wit.		Minkow I III washaria ay ay Milli alasha al Massacia I /	
1	Verified		Victor J. Huerta has a Will dated March 16, 2011. This Will nominates Petitioner as	
	Inventory		Executor and gives the estate to Petitioner,	
	PTC		if then living and, if not, then equally to	
	Not.Cred.		Jane Martinez, niece, and Mike Costello Jr.,	
1	Notice of		nephew.	
	Hrg		Petitioner and Victor J. Huerta have	
✓	Aff.Mail	W/	community property assets totaling	
	Aff.Pub.		\$222,463.57. The assets are presently tilted	
	Sp.Ntc.		in either the name of the Petitioner, in the	
	Pers.Serv.		name of Victor J. Huerta or in the joint names of both of them. The assets	
	Conf.		constitute the community property of	
	Screen		Petitioner in any case.	
	Letters			
	Duties/Supp		Petitioner submits that Victor J. Huerta	
	Objections		suffers from Alzheimer's Dementia, causing major mental impairment. He presently	
	Video		resides at home with Petitioner, but there is	
	Receipt		a great possibility that he will soon be	
	CI Report		admitted to a skilled nursing facility.	
	9202 Order	-	Declaration of James Sorensen, M.D. is attached in support.	
✓			апаспва ін зоррон.	
	Aff. Posting		Petitioner seeks authorization to transfer	Reviewed by: KT
	Status Rpt		from Victor J. Huerta to Petitioner all of his	Reviewed on: 11/9/16
	UCCJEA	14//	separate property and his undivided ½	Updates:
✓	Citation	W/	interest in all community property to	Recommendation:
	FTB Notice		Petitioner as her sole and separate property.	File 20- Huerta
			Please see additional page	

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Case No. 16CEPR01028

Probate Code §3100 states, in full, as follows:

Section 3100 Transaction

- a. As used in this chapter, "transaction" means a transaction that involves community real or personal property, tangible or intangible, or an interest therein or a lien or encumbrance thereon, including but not limited to those transactions with respect thereto listed in Section 3102.
- b. However, if a proposed transaction involves property which a spouse also has a separate property interest, for good cause the court may include that separate property in the transaction.

Probate Code §3102(f) provides that the "transaction: which the Court may authorize includes, without limitation, "Conveyance or transfer, without consideration, to provide gifts for such purposes, and to such charities, relatives (including one of the spouses), friends, or other objects of bounty, as would be likely beneficiaries of gifts from spouses."

Medi-Cal is a public benefit program which provides medical assistance for low income persons. An individual who is aged (65 or older) will be eligible for Medi-Cal in a skilled nursing facility if they meet the resources and income limitations. An individual must deplete their non-exempt resources to \$2,000.00 before they are eligible for Medi-Cal.

The Medicare Catastrophic Coverage Act of 1988 as enacted in this State by Senate Bill 1413 which amends California Welfare and Institutions Section 14002, et seq. allows for protection from health care costs of up to \$119,220.00 of a married couple's resources (i.e., non-exempt, liquid assets) for the benefit of the community spouse resources in excess of this amount and a \$2,000.00 resource allowance for the incapacitated spouse. Accordingly, Victor J. Huerta can retain a \$2,000.00 resource allowance, his exempt residence and his exempt IRA account and still qualify for Medi-Cal benefits.

However, in order to qualify, Victor J. Huerta for public benefits, it will be necessary to transfer all but the \$2,000.00 resource allowance amount to Petitioner as her sole and separate property. Absent court authority, Petitioner will be unable to transfer the assets to qualify her husband for public benefits and she will be unable to avoid losses on any unproductive assets if she liquidates the funds to meet the family needs.

Petitioner, therefore requests an Order against Victor J. Huerta, which will transfer all assets to Petitioner Helen V. Huerta, as her sole and separate property.

Petitioner's transfer to herself of Victor J. Huerta's assets will not adversely affect his Medi-Cal eligibility pursuant to Section 42 U.S.C. 1396(p)(2)(B).

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20 In the Matter of Victor J. Huerta (Additional page 2 of 3)

Case No. 16CEPR01028

Petitioner also requests that the Court issue an order against Victor J. Huerta to provide for the continued support of Petitioner under the terms and provisions of 42 United States Code Section 1396R-5.

At the present time, the monthly income of Petitioner and Victor J. Huerta is as follows: (a) Petitioner receives \$420.90 per month in Social Security benefits; and (b) Victor J. Huerta receives \$925.90 per month in Social Security benefits. The total income is therefore \$1,346.80.

Under current Medi-Cal regulations, Petitioner is allowed to remain a minimum of \$119,220.00 of non-exempt, countable assets and still qualify her husband for long-term care Medi-Cal benefits. This additional amount is call the Community Spouse Resource Allowance ("CSRA"). In this case, the non-exempt countable community property assets (not including any retirement funds or one exempt vehicle), consists of the community property total \$222,463.57.

Under normal circumstances, Petitioner would not be allowed to retain assets in excess of \$119,220.00 and still qualify for Medi-Cal benefits.

Under Medi-Cal's income rules, however, Petitioner is also entitled to the receipt of a Minimum Monthly Maintenance Needs Allowance ("MMMNA") of \$2,981.00. This amount is adjusted each year for inflation. If Petitioner (the community spouse) does not have sufficient income to achieve the \$2,981.00 MMMNA, federal Medi-Cal rules provide that the Petitioner's CSRA must be increased to include the additional assets – enough to generate the full MMMNA amount of \$2,981.00.

In this case, the Petitioner's only source of income is Social Security in the amount of \$1,346.80, which is \$1,634.20 short of the MMMNA. Accordingly, Petitioner must be able to retain sufficient assets in her CSRA to generate the shortfall of \$1,634.20 per month.

The Court has authority to order that Petitioner be allowed to retain the full amount of \$222,463.57 and still qualify her incapacitated husband for Medi-Cal benefits.

If Victor J. Huerta is ordered to support Petitioner, his care will continue to be provided by the Medi-Cal benefits he receives. He will suffer no hardship as a result of a court ordered support.

Petitioner is not in a position to become self-supporting at her age. Given her limited earning capacity, the couples' relatively limited resources and Petitioner's monthly expenses, it is not appropriate that Petitioner rely at all on her husband's Social Security income to meet her federally required MMMNA. Unfortunately, recent changes in the federal Medi-Cal rules provide that the Medi-Cal eligibility worker and any Administrative Law Judge who reviews the decision of an eligibility worker must first attribute all of the Social Security benefits of the Spouse to the Petitioner as part of Petitioner's MMMNA before any increase may be made to Petitioner's CSRA. However, no such restriction is placed on this Court.

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Petitioner is therefore entitled to retain the entire amount of the assets described in Exhibit "B" and Victor J. Huerta's separate property as part of her expanded Community Spouse Resource Allowance.

Accordingly, Petitioner requests that the Court issue a supplementary order in this matter, pursuant to 42 U.S.C. §1396-5(d)(5), in the form of an order against Victor J. Huerta for monthly income for the support of Petitioner, determining that the monthly income shall not be less than \$2,981.00 per month and further determining that the monthly income shall be generated from the assets listed on Exhibit "B" before any resort to the Social Security benefits.

Wherefore, Petitioner prays for an order:

- 1. Authorizing Petitioner to transfer a give of the ½ community property interest of Victor J. Huerta, Spouse, in all the assets set forth in Exhibit "B" to his wife, Helen V. Huerta, as her sole and separate property.
- 2. Pursuant to 42 U.S.C. § 1396-5(d) (5), for an order against Victor J. Huerta, who is an institutionalized spouse, for monthly income for support of Petitioner as the community spouse in such amounts as shall require Petitioner to maintain all the assets set forth in Exhibit "B" as her sole and separate property and as part of her allowed Community Spouse Resource Allowance.
- 3. Dispensing with the requirement of bond for these particular transactions.
- 4. Authorizing Petitioner to do and perform all acts and to execute and deliver all papers, documents, and instruments necessary to consummate the proposed transaction.

Attorney: Jeffrey A. Jaech (for Petitioner Tina Silvas)

Petition for Probate of Will and for Letters Testamentary with IAEA

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DC	D: 7/4/16		TINA SILVAS, named executor without	NEEDS/PROBLEMS/COMMENTS:
			bond, is petitioner.	
			Full IAEA – o.k.	Note: If the petition is granted, status hearings will be set as
Co	nt. from		\\/\;\\\ data d: 0/0/12	follows:
	Aff.Sub.Wit.	S/P	Will dated: 2/8/13	
✓	Verified		Residence: Fresno	Wednesday, April 19, 2017 at 9:00 a.m. in Department
	Inventory		Publication: Fresno Business Journal.	303, for the filing of the
	PTC			inventory and appraisal.
	Not.Cred.			
	Notice of		Estimated Value of the Estate:	• Wednesday, May 16, 2018
	Hrg		Personal property - \$2,500,000.00	at 9:00 a.m. in Department
✓	Aff.Mail	W/O	Annual Income - \$ 220,000.00 <u>Real property</u> - \$ 670,000.00	303, for the filing of the first account or petition for final
✓	Aff.Pub.		Total - \$3,390,000.00	distribution.
	Sp.Ntc.			Pursuant to Local Rule 7.5 if the
	Pers.Serv.		Declarity Defense of Dist. Could	required documents are filed
	Conf.		Probate Referee: Rick Smith	10 days prior the date set the
	Screen			status hearing will come off
✓	Letters			calendar and no appearance will be required.
✓	Duties/Supp			·
	Objections			
	Video			
	Receipt			
	CI Report			
	9202			
✓	Order			
	Aff. Posting			Reviewed by: KT
	Status Rpt			Reviewed on: 11/8/16
	UCCJEA			Updates:
	Citation			Recommendation: Submitted
	FTB Notice			File 21- Silvas
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Sarah Carrizosa, Josiah Carrizosa (GUARD/P) Case No. 16CEPR00668 22

Petitioner: Adelina Dianne Gomez (Pro per – Paternal Aunt)

Petitioner: Victor Gomez (Pro per – Paternal Uncle)

Petition for Appointment of Temporary Guardian of the Person

	GENERAL HEARING 1/17/2017	NEEDS/PROBLEMS/COMMENTS:
	VICTOR H. GOMEZ and ADELINA D. GOMEZ, paternal uncle and aunt, are petitioners	This petition is as to Sarah only.
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Cont. from	1	 Need Notice of Hearing. Need proof of personal
Aff.Sub.Wit.	Please see petition for details.	service at least 5 court
✓ Verified		days before the hearing of
Inventory		the Notice of Hearing with a copy of the petition or
PTC		consent and waiver of
Not.Cred.		notice or declaration of
Notice of X	1	due diligence for:
Hrg		a. Priscilla Cota (mother)
Aff.Mail		
Aff.Pub.		
Sp.Ntc.		
Pers.Serv. X		
✓ Conf.		
Screen		
✓ Letters		
✓ Duties/Supp		
Objections		
Video		
Receipt		
CI Report		
9202		
✓ Order		
Aff. Posting		Reviewed by: SEF
Status Rpt		Reviewed on: 11/9/2016
✓ UCCJEA		Updates:
Citation		Recommendation:
FTB Notice		File 22- Carrizosa

Case No. 16CEPR01135

Petitioner: Suzanne Brown Sobenes (pro per)
Petitioner: Juan Roman Sobenes (pro per)

Petition to Establish Fact of Marriage

	SUZANNE MAY SOBENES and JUAN	NEEDS/PROBLEMS/COMMENTS:
Cont. from Aff.Sub.Wit.	Petitioners request the Court establish the fact, date and place of their marriage as occurring on November	Petition does not state why there is no official record of the fact, date, and place of the marriage.
✓ Verified Inventory PTC Not.Cred. Notice of N/A	14, 1981 in Fresno, California. Attached to the Petition is a copy of the Marriage Certificate issued by Reverend Bernard T. Flynn showing he solemnized the marriage of Juan Roman Sobenes and Suzanne May Qualls on November 14, 1981.	2. Need Declaration in Support of Petition to Establish Fact of Marriage. Judicial Council form MC-362A – This declaration contains information in order for the court to establish the fact of marriage.
Hrg Aff.Mail Aff.Pub. Sp.Ntc. Pers.Serv. Conf. Screen Letters Duties/Supp Objections Video Receipt CI Report	Qualis citrioverniser 14, 1701.	 Petition does not state whether or not a marriage license was first obtained. A marriage license is required in order for a marriage to be valid in the State of California. Family Code §350 et seq. Order contains type-overs. The order cannot contain any erasures, whiteouts, photocopies or alterations. Need new order.
9202 ✓ Order Aff. Posting Status Rpt UCCJEA Citation		Reviewed by: KT Reviewed on: 11/9/16 Updates: Recommendation:
FTB Notice		File 23- Sobenes

Petitioner

Ascencion Cordero Villa (Pro Per, sister)

Attorney

J. Stanley Teixeira (Court-appointed for Conservatee)

Petition for Appointment of Temporary Conservator of the Person

	CENTERAL LIFE PINC SET FOR 10/7/2014 NEEDS (PROPIEWS (COMMENTS)				
			GENERAL HEARING SET FOR 12/7/2016	NE	EDS/PROBLEMS/COMMENTS:
Co	ont. from 110816		ASCENCION CORDERO VILLA , sister, is Petitioner and requests appointment as Conservator of the Person.	11,	onservatee Advised Rights on /3/2016. Ontinued from 11/8/2016. Minute
√	Aff.Sub.Wit. Verified Inventory		~Please see Petition for details~	Or the mo	der states Mr. Teixeira will look into e issue of possible restrictions being ade as to visiting family members,
	PTC Not.Cred.	V	Court Investigator's <i>Report</i> was filed 11/4/2016.	Co see	nd if there are, report back to the burt as to why. He will also check to e that Mr. Gomez has adequate ersonal items with him in the facility.
	Notice of Hrg Aff.Mail	X	11/4/2010.	The	e following defects from the last
	Aff.Pub.				_
	Sp.Ntc.				Need Notice of Hearing. Need proof of five (5) court days'
✓	Pers.Serv. Conf. Screen	X		۷.	notice by personal service of the Notice of Hearing and a copy of the Petition for Appointment of
√ √	Letters Duties/Supp			•	Temporary Conservator for: Carlos Cordero Gomez, proposed Conservatee.
✓	Objections Video Receipt CI Report			3.	Need proof of five (5) court days' service by mail of the Notice of Hearing and a copy of the Petition for Appointment of Temporary
√	9202 Order				Conservator for all relatives listed in the Item 11 of the Petition Pursuant to Probate Code 2250(e).
	Aff. Posting Status Rpt				viewed by: LEG viewed on: 11/9/16
	UCCJEA				odates:
	Citation			_	commendation:
	FTB Notice				e 24- Gomez
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1A Penny Elizabeth Slaton (GUARD/P)

Case No. 13CEPR00870

Attorney Attorney Terri L. McCracken (for Petitioners Amie Eliza Visser and Jay Matthew Visser) Julia Ann Brungess (for Co-Guardians Roy Oken and Doreen Oken)

Petition for Appointment of Guardian of the Person

$\overline{\Box}$			TEADODARY DENIED ON 9/22/2017	
			TEMPORARY DENIED ON 8/23/2016	NEEDS/PROBLEMS/COMMENTS:
			JAY VISSER and AMIE VISSER , non-relatives, are Petitioners.	This matter will be heard at 8:30 a.m. in Department 54.
Cont. from 092016, 102516			~Please see Petition for details~	<u>Page 1B</u> is the Petition for Removal of Guardians filed by JAY VISSER
	Aff.Sub.Wit.		Court Investigator Report filed on	and AMIE VISSER.
1	Verified		9/14/2016.	<u>Page 1C</u> is the Petition for Termination of Guardianship filed
	Inventory			by ROY OKEN and DOREEN OKEN.
	PTC			
	Not.Cred.			Continued from 10/25/2016.
✓	Notice of			The following defects regarding
	Hrg	W		the Petition for Appointment of
✓	Aff.Mail	/0		Guardian filed by Jay Visser and
	Aff.Pub.			Ammie Visser remain:
	Sp.Ntc.			Proof of Service by Mail filed
✓	Pers.Serv.	W /		10/27/2015 shows notice was served to ELIZABETH SLATON
1	Conf. Screen			(mother) in C/O of another person, LINDA BURKE . Court
	Letters	Χ		may require direct notice
1	Duties/Supp			pursuant to CA Rule of Court 7.51(a)(1) and (2), and
	Objections			pursuant to Probate Code §
	Video Receipt			1511(b)(3), which requires personal service to the mother.
✓	CI Report			2. If the Petition is granted,
✓	Clearances			Attorney McCraken will need to submit proposed order and
	Order	X		letters for appointing Petitioners JAY VISSER and AMIE VISSER as Co-Guardians of PENNY SLATON.
	Aff. Posting			Reviewed by: LEG
	Status Rpt			Reviewed on: 11/7/16
✓	UCCJEA			Updates: 11/8/16
	Citation			Recommendation:
	FTB Notice			File 1A – Slaton
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1B Penny Elizabeth Slaton (GUARD/P)

Case No. 13CEPR00870

Attorney Attorney Terri L. McCracken (for Petitioners Amie Eliza Visser and Jay Matthew Visser)
Julia Ann Brungess (for Guardians Roy Oken and Doreen Oken, non-relatives)

Petition for Removal of Guardians Pursuant to Probate Code Section 2650(J)

			JAY VISSER and AMIE VISSER, non-	NEEDS/PROBLEMS/COMMENTS:
			relatives, are Petitioners.	, ,
				This matter will be heard at 8:30
			~Please see Petition for details~	a.m. in Department 54.
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	Aff.Sub.Wit.			1. Proof of Service by Mail filed
1	Verified			10/12/2015 shows notice was served by mail to ELIZABETH SLATON
	Inventory			(mother) in C/O of another person,
	PTC			LINDA BURKE. Court may require
	Not.Cred.			direct notice pursuant to CA Rule of Court 7.51(a)(1) and (2), to be
1	Notice of			directly served by mail to the
	Hrg			mother for notice of the Petition for
1	Aff.Mail	W/		Removal pursuant to Probate Code §§ 1460, 1510(c)(1), and 2652.
	Aff.Pub.			99 1400, 1310(c)(1), dila 2032.
	Sp.Ntc.			Note Re Proposed Order: A proposed
1	Pers.Serv.	W/		order removing the Co-Guardians
	Conf.			appears unnecessary from Attorney McCracken for the instant Petition for
	Screen			Removal, as an order granting the
	Letters			Petition for Termination filed by the
	Duties/Supp			current Co-Guardians will effectively
	Objections			terminate their role as guardians of
	Video			Penny Slaton.
—	Receipt			
	CI Report			
	Clearances	.,		
	Order	Χ		
	Aff. Posting			Reviewed by: LEG
_	Status Rpt			Reviewed on: 11/7/16
_	UCCJEA			Updates: 11/8/16
	Citation ETP Notice			Recommendation:
	FTB Notice			File 1B – Slaton

1C Penny Elizabeth Slaton (GUARD/P)

Case No. 13CEPR00870

Attorney Attorney Terri L. McCracken (for Petitioners Amie Eliza Visser and Jay Matthew Visser) Julia Ann Brungess (for Co-Guardians Roy Oken and Doreen Oken)

Petition for Termination of Guardianship

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			ROY OKEN and DOREEN OKEN, non-	NEEDS/PROBLEMS/COMMENTS:		
			relative Co-Guardians appointed on			
			12/3/2013, are Petitioners.	This matter will be heard at		
			~Please see Petition for details~	8:30 a.m. in Department		
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1	Verified			2. Proof of Service by Mail filed		
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	Inventory			served by mail to MERRY E.		
	PTC			SLATON BLUESTONE (mother) in		
	Not.Cred.			C/O of another person, LINDA BURKE . Court may require		
1	Notice of			direct notice pursuant to CA		
	Hrg			Rule of Court 7.51(a)(1) and		
✓	Aff.Mail	W/		(2), to be directly served by		
	Aff.Pub.			mail to the mother for notice		
	Sp.Ntc.			of the Petition for Termination of Guardianship pursuant to		
	Pers.Serv.			Probate Code §§ 1460,		
	Conf.			1510(c)(1), and 2652.		
	Screen					
	Letters					
	Duties/Supp					
	Objections					
	Video					
	Receipt					
	CI Report	Χ				
	9202					
✓	Order					
	Aff. Posting			Reviewed by: LEG		
	Status Rpt			Reviewed on: 11/8/16		
	UCCJEA			Updates:		
	Citation			Recommendation:		
	FTB Notice			File 1C- Slaton		
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